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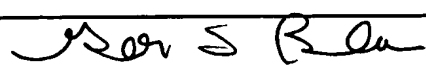
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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES								
	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES	EXAMINATION FEES				
Application Type	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100		
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65		
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0		
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							Small Entity	
Fee Description							Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent							50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent							200	100
Multiple dependent claims							360	180
Total Claims		Extra Claims		Fee (\$)		Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	
	- 20 or HP =		x		=		Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
HP= highest paid number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20								
Indep. Claims		Extra Claims		Fee (\$)		Fee Paid (\$)		
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4. OTHER FEES							Fees Paid (\$)	
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)								
Other: Request for Continued Examination Fee (\$790) and Information Disclosure Statement Fee (\$180)							\$970.00	
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